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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Monday, 21 July 2014

General Assembly

Group of Governmental Experts on developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security
First session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Security Council

Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

10:00 to 13:00	49th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

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Economic and Social Council

2015 session
Organizational session

15:00 to 18:00 1st meeting [webcast] Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

1. Opening of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council

2. Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters (E/2015/1 and E/2015/2) [item 2]

Action on draft decision E/2015/L.1 (Working arrangements for the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

Action on draft decision E/2014/L.24 (Themes for the 2015 and 2016 sessions of the Economic and Social Council)

Action on draft decision E/2014/L.23 (Theme for the integration segment of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

Economic and Social Council

2014 session
Informal informal consultations

Informal informal consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Yavuz Çubukcu (Turkey), on draft resolution E/2014/L.25 entitled "Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2011-2020" (item 9 (b) of the provisional agenda) will be held on *Monday, 21 July 2014,* from *15:00 to 18:00*, in Conference Room D (CB).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf

Thirty-fifth session

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf from *Monday, 21* July to Friday, 1 August 2014, and from Monday, 11 to Friday, 29 August 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Other meetings

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Monday, 21 July 2014

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 15:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room B (CB)

Asia-Pacific Group (monthly meeting)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 2 (CB)

Other activities

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Monday, 21 July 2014

Briefing on "Plans for the upcoming 2014 World Humanitarian Day" (19 August) (by the Chief of Communications Services Branch) (organized by the Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA))

At 11:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[The briefing is open to all permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Laura Rodríguez, OCHA (e-mail rodriguez14@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2770).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Monday, 21 July 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Tuesday, 22 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Security Council Chamber, in connection with the agenda item "The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should send a letter addressed to the President of the Security Council requesting to participate in accordance with Rule 37 of the Council's Provisional Rules of Procedure (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Please note that only scanned copies of signed letters will be accepted by email. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone or e-mail, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The fourth structured dialogue of the General Assembly to consider possible arrangements for a facilitation mechanism to promote the development, transfer and dissemination of clean and environmentally sound technologies, held in accordance with General Assembly resolution 68/210 of 20 December 2013, will take place on Wednesday, 23 July 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 16 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary (closed) to hear a briefing by Mr. Daniel Sloper, Special Representative for the G-20 of Australia, on Thursday, 24 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 17 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*. Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing
Fifth working session

The fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing will be held from Wednesday, 30 July to Friday, 1 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda of the session is contained in document A/AC.278/2014/1.

General discussion and list of speakers

General discussion of agenda item 4 (Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level) will be held on Wednesday, 30 July 2014, following the opening of the session.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should inform Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; room S-1284; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Delegations are reminded that as per past practice, statements made by individual Member States and observers should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*.

List of participants

Delegations are kindly requested to communicate the names of their representatives and alternates participating in the fifth working session to the Secretary of the Open-ended Working Group, Mrs. Lana Emelina-Sarte (e-mail emelina@un.org), copied to Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax

1 (212) 963-5935), *no later than* Wednesday, 23 July 2014. Please note that only scanned copies of note verbales will be accepted by email.

Papersmart arrangement for the fifth working session

Delegations are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

For further information on the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing, including on the participation of non-governmental organizations, please *click here*.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

Plenary meetings (closed) of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will be held from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 6 (NLB) and from Tuesday, 2, to Friday, 5 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Tuesday, 22 July 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Human Rights Orientation Programme for Diplomats (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Wednesday, 30 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB); and

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Lecture Series on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Women, Peace, Security – a critical component of the post-2015 development agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Monday, 4 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB);

Tuesday, 5 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB); and

Wednesday, 6 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB);

[All delegates from Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States
Apia, Samoa (1-4 September 2014)

List of speakers

Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General debate") of the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States (Monday, 1 to Thursday, 4 September 2014, Apia, Samoa), pursuant to General Assembly Resolution 68/238, *is open.*

All delegations (all States Members of the United Nations or members of specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, and the European Union, in its capacity as observer) wishing to inscribe in the general debate, in accordance with General Assembly resolutions 67/207 and 68/238, are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat as of that date, *in writing,* by e-mail (Mrs. Mary Muturi (muturi@un.org)), or telefax (+1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *five minutes* be established for each statement.

In addition to representatives of States participating in the Conference and that of the European Union, it is proposed that the representatives of the following may, time permitting and without setting a precedent, make a statement in the plenary meetings: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices (rule 60 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Conference); (b) Associate members of regional commissions (rule 61); (c) specialized agencies and related organizations (rule 62); (d) other intergovernmental organizations (rule 63); and (e) interested United Nations organs (rule 63). Representatives of intergovernmental organizations, entities, associated members of regional commissions, specialized agencies and related organizations and interested United Nations organs may also contact the Secretariat to inscribe in the list of speakers.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of *July:*

Treaty Research

Introduction to United Nations Documents

Researching from UN databases UNBISnet and ODS and UN-I-QUE

Overview of the Legal Library

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (http://www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States each year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The 2014 language-specific informational meetings will be held in August, in Conference Room D (CB), according to the following schedule:

Wednesday, 20 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Arabic*

Wednesday, 20 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Chinese*

Thursday, 21 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *English*

Thursday, 21 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *French*

Friday, 22 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Russian*

Friday, 22 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Spanish*

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses *(click here)*.

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The

Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014,* to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the Regional Courses in International Law (New Zealand), for Africa (China), and for Asia-Pacific (China and Saudi Arabia).

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 18 July 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7219th meeting

Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Belgium, Canada, Indonesia, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Philippines, Ukraine and Viet Nam to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Jeffrey Feltman, Under Secretary-General for Political Affairs, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Feltman.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Chad, the United States, Lithuania, China, Australia, Luxembourg, France, Jordan, Argentina, Nigeria, the Russian Federation, Chile and the Republic of Korea, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Rwanda.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Ukraine, Malaysia, the Netherlands, Indonesia, the Philippines, Belgium, Canada, New Zealand and Viet Nam.

7220th meeting

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Israel to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The President invited Mr. Jeffrey Feltman, Under Secretary-General for Political Affairs, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Feltman.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Israel.

Statements were made by the representatives of Jordan, the United States, China, Nigeria, France, Australia, Chile, Lithuania, the United Kingdom, Chad, the Russian Federation, Luxembourg, Argentina and the Republic of Korea, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Rwanda.

General Assembly

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals
Thirteenth session

2nd meeting — The summary of the 2nd meeting of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2014/139).

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Friday, 18 July 2014

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-sixth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3227th meeting — *Identification of customary international law* [item 9]

The Commission continued and concluded its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's second report on the topic (A/CN.4/672). The Special Rapporteur, Mr. Michael Wood, summarized the debate on his second report. The Commission decided to refer draft conclusions 1 to 11 to the Drafting Committee.

Protection of the environment in relation to armed conflicts [item 10]

The Special Rapporteur, Ms. Marie G. Jacobsson, introduced her preliminary report on the topic (A/CN.4/674). The Commission began its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's preliminary report on the topic.

Programme, procedures and working methods of the Commission and its documentation [item 12]

The Commission decided to include the topic "Crimes against humanity" in the current programme of work and decided to appoint Mr. Sean D. Murphy as Special Rapporteur for the topic.

The Chair of the Drafting Committee announced the composition of the Drafting Committee on Identification of customary international law which is as follows: *Chair:* Mr. Gilberto V. Saboia; *Special Rapporteur:* Mr. Michael Wood; *Members:* Ms. Concepción Escobar Hernandez, Mr. Matthias Forteau, Mr. Juan Manuel Gomez-Robledo, Mr. Mahmoud D. Hmoud, Mr. Maurice Kamto, Mr. Kriangsak Kittichaisaree, Mr. Shinya Murase, Mr. Sean D. Murphy, Mr. Georg Nolte, Mr. Ki Gab Park, Mr. Ernest Petrič, Mr. Marcelo Vázquez-Bermúdez and Mr. Dire D. Tladi *(ex officio)*.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Agreement on the Importation of Educational, Scientific and Cultural Materials. Lake Success, New York, 22 November 1950

Acceptance: Mali (16 July 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *July 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Libya
His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi

Asia-Pacific States:
United Arab Emirates
Her Excellency Lana Zaki Nusseibeh

Eastern European States:
Armenia
His Excellency Zohrab Mnatsakanyan

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Dominican Republic
His Excellency Francisco Antonio Cortorreal

Western European and other States:
San Marino
His Excellency Daniele Bodini

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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Back issues of the *Journal*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

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Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to helpdesk@un.org.

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Security Council
www.un.org/en/sc

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004)
www.un.org/sc/1540/

Department of Economic and Social Affairs
www.un.org/en/development/desa/index.html

Economic and Social Council
www.un.org/en/ecosoc/

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A/68/941–S/2014/472 — Item 33 (a) — Prevention of armed conflict — Letter dated 3 July 2014 from the Chargé d'affaires a.i. of the Permanent Mission of Slovakia to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *4* pages

A/68/942 — Item 76 (a) — Oceans and the law of the sea — Letter dated 3 July 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Viet Nam to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

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A/ES-10/637–S/2014/479 — Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 8 July 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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Material for inclusion in the *Journal* should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-0493; Room CB-0304 (Conference Building)).

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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Tuesday, 22 July 2014

Security Council

11:00 — 7222nd meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question[1]

[1]Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

Informal informal meetings of the plenary (closed) on the organizational modalities for the Summit at the level of Heads of State and Government in September 2015 for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda will be held *today*, 22 July 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

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General Assembly

Group of Governmental Experts on developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security
First session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)

Economic and Social Council

2015 session
Organizational session

15:00	2nd meeting [webcast]	Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Action on draft decision E/2015/L.1 (Working arrangements for the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

Economic and Social Council

2014 session
Informal informal consultations

Informal informal consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Evans Maturu (Kenya), on draft resolution E/2014/L.20 entitled "Human settlements" (item 16 (d) of the provisional agenda) will be held *today*, 22 July 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room A (CB).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today, 22* July 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 22 July 2014

Group of 77 (on United Nations reform matters)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room E (NLB)

Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Tuesday, 22 July 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson [*Guest*: Ms. Mia Farrow, UNICEF Goodwill Ambassador (on her visit to the Central African Republic)]

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The fourth structured dialogue of the General Assembly to consider possible arrangements for a facilitation mechanism to promote the development, transfer and dissemination of clean and environmentally sound technologies, held in accordance with General Assembly resolution 68/210 of 20 December 2013, will take place on Wednesday, 23 July 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 16 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary (closed) to hear a briefing by Mr. Daniel Sloper, Special Representative for the G-20 of Australia, on Thursday, 24 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 17 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*. Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the

sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing
Fifth working session

The fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing will be held from Wednesday, 30 July to Friday, 1 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda of the session is contained in document A/AC.278/2014/1.

General discussion and list of speakers

General discussion of agenda item 4 (Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level) will be held on Wednesday, 30 July 2014, following the opening of the session.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should inform Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; room S-1284; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Delegations are reminded that as per past practice, statements made by individual Member States and observers should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*.

List of participants

Delegations are kindly requested to communicate the names of their representatives and alternates participating in the fifth working session to the Secretary of the Open-ended Working Group, Mrs. Lana Emelina-Sarte (e-mail emelina@un.org), copied to Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935), *no later than* Wednesday, 23 July 2014. Please note that only scanned copies of note verbales will be accepted by email.

Papersmart arrangement for the fifth working session

Delegations are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

For further information on the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing, including on the participation of non-governmental organizations, please *click here*.

Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing
Fifth session

In accordance with General Assembly decision 67/559 of 21 June 2013, the fifth session of the Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing will be held from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda is contained in document A/AC.282/2013/1. Only Members of the Committee of Experts, accompanied by up to two advisors, are invited to attend this

closed session. Experts nominated by regional groups to serve as replacements for members may also attend as observers. For further information, please contact Mr. Daniel Platz (e-mail platz@un.org) and Mr. Wei Liu (e-mail liuw@un.org).

Multistakeholder dialogue

An interactive multistakeholder dialogue will be organized on Monday, 4 August 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, and will be open to all. For more information on this dialogue, please contact Ms. Susan Alzner, United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (e-mail alzner@un.org).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

Plenary meetings (closed) of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will be held from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 6 (NLB) and from Tuesday, 2, to Friday, 5 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252.
The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/68/L.42, entitled "Enhancement of the administration and financial functioning of the United Nations" (under agenda items 124 and 125) (convened by the Permanent Mission of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77))

Wednesday, 23 July 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Forthcoming other meetings

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OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

Wednesday, 23 July 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Human Rights Orientation Programme for Diplomats (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Wednesday, 30 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB); and

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Lecture Series on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Women, Peace, Security – a critical component of the post-2015 development agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Monday, 4 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB);

Tuesday, 5 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB); and

Wednesday, 6 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB);

[All delegates from Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States
Apia, Samoa (1-4 September 2014)

List of speakers

Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General debate") of the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States (Monday, 1 to Thursday, 4 September 2014, Apia, Samoa), pursuant to General Assembly Resolution 68/238, *is open.*

All delegations (all States Members of the United Nations or members of specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, and the European Union, in its

capacity as observer) wishing to inscribe in the general debate, in accordance with General Assembly resolutions 67/207 and 68/238, are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat as of that date, *in writing*, by e-mail (Mrs. Mary Muturi (muturi@un.org)), or telefax (+1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *five minutes* be established for each statement.

In addition to representatives of States participating in the Conference and that of the European Union, it is proposed that the representatives of the following may, time permitting and without setting a precedent, make a statement in the plenary meetings: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices (rule 60 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Conference); (b) Associate members of regional commissions (rule 61); (c) specialized agencies and related organizations (rule 62); (d) other intergovernmental organizations (rule 63); and (e) interested United Nations organs (rule 63). Representatives of intergovernmental organizations, entities, associated members of regional commissions, specialized agencies and related organizations and interested United Nations organs may also contact the Secretariat to inscribe in the list of speakers.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training (English) for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of:

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For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States each year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The 2014 language-specific informational meetings will be held in August, in Conference Room D (CB), according to the following schedule:

Wednesday, 20 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Arabic*

Wednesday, 20 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Chinese*

Thursday, 21 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *English*

Thursday, 21 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *French*

Friday, 22 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Russian*

Friday, 22 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Spanish*

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to

focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses *(click here)*.

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014,* to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the Regional Courses in International Law (New Zealand), for Africa (China), and for Asia-Pacific (China and Saudi Arabia).

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

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The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 18 July 2014

General Assembly

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals
Thirteenth session

2nd meeting — The summary of the 2nd meeting of the Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2014/140).

Monday, 21 July 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7221st meeting

Letter dated 28 February 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Ukraine to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/136)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Belgium, Canada, Germany, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, the Philippines, Ukraine and Viet Nam to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2014/510, submitted by Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Chad, Chile, France, Germany, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, the Philippines, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, the United States of America and Viet Nam.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2014/510) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2014/510) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2166 (2014).

After the vote, statements were made by Her Excellency Julie Bishop, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Australia, and by His Excellency Jean Asselborn, Minister for Foreign and European Affairs of Luxembourg.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Nigeria, the Republic of Korea, the United States, China, Chile, France, Jordan, Argentina, the Russian Federation, Lithuania and Chad, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Rwanda.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Frans Timmermans, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Kingdom of the Netherlands.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Malaysia, Indonesia, Ukraine, Belgium, New Zealand, Philippines, Germany, Canada and Viet Nam.

Economic and Social Council

2014 session
Organizational meeting

[archived video]

1st meeting

The President of the Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), opened the organizational session of the Council for 2015 and made a statement.

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Consideration of draft decision E/2015/L.1 (Working arrangements for the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

A statement was made by the President, in the course of which he informed the Council that the draft decision contained no programme budget implications.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Colombia, Brazil, the United States, Japan and Cuba, as well as the observers for Egypt, Mexico, Chile and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

A statement was also made by the observer for the European Union.

The President of the Council, the Secretary of the Council, and the Director of the Office for ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, provided clarifications and responded to the questions raised by delegations.

Upon the proposal of the President, the Council agreed to revert to the draft decision at its next meeting.

Adoption of document E/2015/1 (Provisional agenda)

A statement was made by the President of the Council.

The Council adopted the provisional agenda for its 2015 session.

Action on draft decision E/2014/L.24 (Themes for the 2015 and 2016 sessions of the Economic and Social Council)

A statement was made by the President of the Council, in the course of which he informed the Council that the draft decision contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft decision.

Action on draft decision E/2014/L.23 (Theme for the integration segment of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

The Council was informed that the draft decision contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft decision.

Division of responsibilities in the Bureau for the 2015 session of the Council

The President of the Council announced that the division of responsibilities in the Bureau for the 2015 session will be as follows: the President, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria) would be responsible for the high-level segment and the high-level political forum on sustainable development for 2015, held under the auspices of the Council, as well as the organizational session; the Vice-President from Colombia, Her Excellency María Emma Mejía Vélez, would be responsible for the operational activities segment; the Vice-President from Croatia, His Excellency Vladimir Drobnjak, would be responsible for the integration segment; the Vice-President from Libya, His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi, would be responsible for the humanitarian affairs segment; and the Vice-President from the Republic of Korea, His Excellency Joon Oh, would be responsible for the coordination and management meetings, including the elections to fill the vacancies in the subsidiary bodies of the Council.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the President of the Council (Austria).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

International Convention for the Suppression of the Financing of Terrorism. New York, 9 December 1999

Objection to the interpretative declaration made by Kuwait upon accession:
United States of America (21 July 2014)

WHO Framework Convention on Tobacco Control. Geneva, 21 May 2003

Ratification: El Salvador (21 July 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *July 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Libya
His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi

Asia-Pacific States:
United Arab Emirates
Her Excellency Lana Zaki Nusseibeh

Eastern European States:
Armenia
His Excellency Zohrab Mnatsakanyan

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Dominican Republic
His Excellency Francisco Antonio Cortorreal

Western European and other States:
San Marino
His Excellency Daniele Bodini

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

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Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

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Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

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	Special Committee on the Situation with regard to the Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples
A/AC.109/2014/L.5/REV.1	Draft resolution submitted by the Chair — Question of sending visiting and special missions to Territories [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*
	Committee on Conferences Substantive session of 2014
A/AC.172/2014/L.2	Item 2 (b) — Calendar of conferences and meetings: adoption of the draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2015 — Draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings of the United Nations for 2015 — Note by the Secretariat [A C E F R S] *52 pages*
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A/69/150	Provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly [A C E F R S] — *17 pages*

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

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Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

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List of issues and questions in relation to the combined initial and second periodic reports of Brunei Darussalam — Replies of Brunei Darussalam [A C E F R S] — *16 pages*

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Identical letters dated 9 July 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

S/2014/496 Letter dated 14 July 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the United Arab Emirates to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/2014/500 Letter dated 16 July 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Sudan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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S/AGENDA/7220 Provisional agenda for the 7220th meeting of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

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2015 session

E/2015/1 Item 2 of the provisional agenda — Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters — Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

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Programme of meetings and agenda

Official meetings

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

Security Council

10:00 — 7223rd meeting (closed) — Conference Room 3 (CB)

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

   United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

10:45 — 7224th meeting [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation concerning Iraq

   Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/480)

   Third report of the Secretary-General submitted pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2110 (2013) (S/2014/485)

Morning[1] — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq (UNAMI) (S/2014/480) (S/2014/485)

Other matters

[1]To be held following the adjournment of the 7224th meeting.

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General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

The fourth structured dialogue of the General Assembly to consider possible arrangements for a facilitation mechanism to promote the development, transfer and dissemination of clean and environmentally sound technologies, held in accordance with General Assembly resolution 68/210 of 20 December 2013, will take place *today*, 23 July 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 16 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. [webcast]

General Assembly

Group of Governmental Experts on developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security
First session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)

United Nations Board of Auditors
Sixty-eighth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today, 23* July 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by permanent missions

The agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251, A/68/251/Add.1 and A/68/252.
The meetings under this header are closed.

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

General Assembly

Informal consultations on draft resolution A/68/L.42, entitled "Enhancement of the administration and financial functioning of the United Nations" (under agenda items 124 and 125) (convened by the Permanent Mission of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77))

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room E (NLB).

Other meetings

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The meetings under this header are closed.

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

Group of Latin American and Caribbean States (monthly meeting)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 2 (CB)

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room B (CB)

OIC Group (at the ambassadorial level)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 1 (CB)

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12:45	Mr. John Ging, Operations Director of the Office of the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) (on his recent trip to Ethiopia)

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary (closed) to hear a briefing by Mr. Daniel Sloper, Special Representative for the G20 of Australia, on Thursday, 24 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 17 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

An Informal informal meeting of the plenary (closed) on the organizational modalities for the Summit at the level of Heads of State and Government in September 2015 for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda will be held on Thursday, 24 July 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Monday, 28 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Security Council Chamber, on the United Nations and regional partnerships and its evolution in connection with the agenda item "United Nations peacekeeping operations".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should send a letter addressed to the President of the Security Council requesting to participate in accordance with Rule 37 of the Council's Provisional Rules of Procedure (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Please note that only scanned copies of signed letters will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone or e-mail, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*. Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

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Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing

Fifth working session

The fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing will be held from Wednesday, 30 July to Friday, 1 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda of the session is contained in document A/AC.278/2014/1.

General discussion and list of speakers

General discussion of agenda item 4 (Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level) will be held on Wednesday, 30 July 2014, following the opening of the session.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should inform Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; room S-1284; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Delegations are reminded that as per past practice, statements made by individual Member States and observers should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*.

List of participants

Delegations are kindly requested to communicate the names of their representatives and alternates participating in the fifth working session to the Secretary of the

Open-ended Working Group, Mrs. Lana Emelina-Sarte (e-mail emelina@un.org), copied to Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935), *no later than today,* 23 July 2014. Please note that only scanned copies of note verbales will be accepted by email.

Papersmart arrangement for the fifth working session

Delegations are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

For further information on the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing, including on the participation of non-governmental organizations, please *click here.*

Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing

Fifth session

In accordance with General Assembly decision 67/559 of 21 June 2013, the fifth session of the Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing will be held from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda is contained in document A/AC.282/2013/1. Only Members of the Committee of Experts, accompanied by up to two advisors, are invited to attend this closed session. Experts nominated by regional groups to serve as replacements for members may also attend as observers. For further information, please contact Mr. Daniel Platz (e-mail platz@un.org) and Mr. Wei Liu (e-mail liuw@un.org).

Multistakeholder dialogue

An interactive multistakeholder dialogue will be organized on Monday, 4 August 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, and will be open to all. For more information on this dialogue, please contact Ms. Susan Alzner, United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (e-mail alzner@un.org).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

Plenary meetings (closed) of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will be held from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 6 (NLB) and from Tuesday, 2, to Friday, 5 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Event entitled Women in Power: "Making a Global Difference" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Grenada and the African Women for Good Governance)

Thursday, 24 July 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Grenada (tel. 1 (212) 599-0301); or the African Women for Good Governance (tel. 1 (646) 245-3705).]

Human Rights Orientation Programme for Diplomats (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Wednesday, 30 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB); and

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Lecture Series on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Women, Peace, Security – a critical component of the post-2015 development agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Monday, 4 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB);

Tuesday, 5 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB); and

Wednesday, 6 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB);

[All delegates from Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States
Apia, Samoa (1-4 September 2014)

List of speakers

Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General debate") of the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States (Monday, 1 to Thursday, 4 September 2014, Apia, Samoa), pursuant to General Assembly Resolution 68/238, *is open.*

All delegations (all States Members of the United Nations or members of specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, and the European Union, in its capacity as observer) wishing to inscribe in the general debate, in accordance with General Assembly resolutions 67/207 and 68/238, are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat as of that date, *in writing*, by e-mail (Mrs. Mary Muturi (muturi@un.org)), or telefax (+1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *five minutes* be established for each statement.

In addition to representatives of States participating in the Conference and that of the European Union, it is proposed that the representatives of the following may, time permitting and without setting a precedent, make a statement in the plenary meetings: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices (rule 60 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Conference); (b) Associate members of regional commissions (rule 61); (c) specialized agencies and related organizations (rule 62); (d) other intergovernmental organizations (rule 63); and (e) interested United Nations organs (rule 63). Representatives of intergovernmental organizations, entities, associated members of regional commissions, specialized agencies and related organizations and interested United Nations organs may also contact the Secretariat to inscribe in the list of speakers.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training (English) for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of:

July

Introduction to United Nations Documents

August

General Assembly Documentation

Introduction to Library Services

Introduction to United Nations Documents

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources

Overview of the Legal Library

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (http://www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States each year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The 2014 language-specific informational meetings will be held in August, in Conference Room D (CB), according to the following schedule:

Wednesday, 20 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Arabic*

Wednesday, 20 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Chinese*

Thursday, 21 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *English*

Thursday, 21 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *French*

Friday, 22 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Russian*

Friday, 22 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Spanish*

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses *(click here)*.

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014*, to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the Regional Courses in International Law (New Zealand), for Africa (China), and for Asia-Pacific (China and Saudi Arabia).

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 18 July 2014

General Assembly

Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals
Thirteenth session

[archived video]

2nd meeting

Follow-up to the outcome of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development, relating to a proposal for sustainable development goals [item 3]

The Co-Chair (Kenya) made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Nigeria, the Islamic Republic of Iran, the Syrian Arab Republic, Uganda, Honduras, Switzerland (also on behalf of France and Germany), the Russian Federation, Denmark (also on behalf of Ireland and Norway), the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Chad, Saudi Arabia, Iceland, Egypt, the European Union, the Sudan, Pakistan, Spain (also on behalf of Italy), the United Kingdom (also on behalf of Australia and the Netherlands), the United Arab Emirates, the United States, the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), Cuba, Ecuador (also on behalf of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, then in a national capacity), Canada, Japan, China, Sweden, Mexico (also on behalf of Peru, then in a national capacity), the United Republic of Tanzania, the Republic of Korea, Liechtenstein, Djibouti, Indonesia, Brazil (also on behalf of Nicaragua), Timor-Leste (also on behalf of Liberia and Sierra Leone), Tunisia, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Benin (on behalf of Least Developed Countries), Montenegro (also on behalf of Slovenia), Palau, Ethiopia, India, Uruguay, Colombia, Argentina (also on behalf of the Plurinational State of Bolivia and Ecuador) and Romania (also on behalf of Poland).

The Open Working Group agreed to submit the proposal for sustainable development goals, contained in an informal paper, to the General Assembly for its consideration and appropriate action.

The Open Working Group thus concluded its thirteenth session.

Tuesday, 22 July 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7222nd meeting

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Algeria, Bangladesh, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Brazil, Canada, Cuba, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Ecuador, Egypt, El Salvador, Guatemala, Iceland, India, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Israel, Jamaica, Japan, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Malaysia, Maldives, Mexico, Morocco, Namibia, New Zealand, Nicaragua, Norway, Pakistan, Peru, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, the Syrian Arab Republic, Tunisia, Turkey, Viet Nam, Venezuela

(Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine to the United Nations to participate in the meeting in accordance with the provisional rules of procedure and the Council's previous practice.

The President invited His Excellency Thomas Mayr-Harting, Head of the Delegation of the European Union to the United Nations and His Excellency Abdou Salam Diallo the Chair of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Security Council began its consideration of the item.

The Council heard a briefing by the Secretary-General, His Excellency Ban Ki-moon, via video-teleconference from Ramallah.

The Council heard a statement by the Permanent Observer of the Observer State of Palestine.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Israel.

Statements were made by His Excellency Jean Asselborn, Minister for Foreign Affairs and European Affairs of Luxembourg; by the representatives of Jordan, the United States, the Republic of Korea, France, China, the United Kingdom, the Russian Federation, Nigeria, Argentina, Australia, Chile, Chad and Lithuania; and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Rwanda.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Lebanon, Egypt, Saudi Arabia (speaking on behalf of the Organization of Islamic Cooperation), Pakistan, Morocco and Malaysia.

The Council heard statements by Mr. Mayr-Harting and by Mr. Diallo.

The Council heard statements by the representatives of Japan, Brazil, Algeria, Namibia, Ecuador, Nicaragua, Turkey, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, India, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Indonesia, Maldives, Norway, Qatar, the Syrian Arab Republic, South Africa, the Islamic Republic of Iran (on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement), Iceland, Tunisia, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, El Salvador, Canada, Bangladesh, Cuba, Zimbabwe, New Zealand, Mexico, Kazakhstan, Kuwait, Viet Nam, Peru, Jamaica and Guatemala.

The representative of Israel made a further statement.

Economic and Social Council

2015 session
Organizational meeting

[archived video]

2nd meeting

Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters [item 2]

Action on draft decision E/2015/L.1 (Working arrangements for the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council)

The President of the Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), made a statement, in the course of which he orally revised the draft decision.

The Council was informed that the draft decision, as orally revised, contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft decision, as orally revised.

After the adoption of the draft decision, as orally revised, statements were made by the representatives of Brazil and the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China).

A statement was also made by the observer for the European Union.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the President of the Council (Austria).

A statement was also made by the representative of the Republic of Korea, on behalf of the Vice-President of the Council, His Excellency Oh Joon (Republic of Korea), regarding the July 2014 coordination and management meeting of the Council.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Tuesday, 22 July 2014

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-sixth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3228th meeting

Cooperation with other bodies [item 14]

The President of the International Court of Justice, Judge Peter Tomka, addressed the Commission, followed by an exchange of views.

Protection of the environment in relation to armed conflicts [item 10]

The Commission continued its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's preliminary report on the topic.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women. New York, 6 October 1999

Ratification: Tajikistan (22 July 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *July 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Libya
His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi

Asia-Pacific States:
United Arab Emirates
Her Excellency Lana Zaki Nusseibeh

Eastern European States:
Armenia
His Excellency Zohrab Mnatsakanyan

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Dominican Republic
His Excellency Francisco Antonio Cortorreal

Western European and other States:
San Marino
His Excellency Daniele Bodini

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

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possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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Websites

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www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

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Documents issued at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 22 July 2014

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A/68/918	Item 147 — Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peacekeeping operations — Report of the Fifth Committee [A C E F R S] — *21 pages*

A/68/935 Item 55 — Questions relating to information — Letter dated 6 June 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Argentina to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *27 pages*

A/68/936 Item 62 — Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions — Letter dated 26 June 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Turkmenistan to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *7 pages*

A/68/L.41/Rev.1/Add.1 Item 63 (a) — New Partnership for Africa's Development: progress in implementation and international support — Bolivia (Plurinational State of): draft resolution — New Partnership for Africa's Development: progress in implementation and international support [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

Tenth emergency special session

A/ES-10/641–S/2014/506 Item 5 — Illegal Israeli actions in Occupied East Jerusalem and the rest of the Occupied Palestinian Territory — Identical letters dated 17 July 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women

CEDAW/C/SVN/5-6 Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 18 of the Convention — Fifth and sixth periodic reports of States parties due in 2013 — Slovenia [A C E F R S] — *53 pages*

Security Council **Documents**

A/ES-10/641–S/2014/506 Identical letters dated 17 July 2014 from the Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General, the President of the General Assembly and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *3 pages*

S/2014/508 Letter dated 18 July 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Switzerland to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/2014/509 Report of the Secretary-General concerning the credentials of the alternate representative of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland on the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/2014/510 Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Canada, Chad, Chile, France, Germany, Indonesia, Ireland, Italy, Jordan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malaysia, Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Philippines, Republic of Korea, Rwanda, Ukraine, United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, United States of America and Viet Nam: draft resolution [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

S/Agenda/7221 Provisional agenda [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

S/RES/2166 (2014) Adopted by the Security Council at its 7221st meeting, on 21 July 2014 [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

Economic and social Council

Documents

2015 session

E/2015/2 Item 2 of the provisional agenda — Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters — Request for revisions to the provisional agenda of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council — Letter dated 17 July 2014 from the President of the Economic and Social Council to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

E/2015/L.1 Item 2 of the provisional agenda — Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters — Draft decision submitted by the President of the Council, Martin Sajdik (Austria) — Working arrangements for the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

Communications to the Editor

Material for inclusion in the *Journal* should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-0493; Room CB-0304 (Conference Building)).

The *deadline* to submit material for the *Journal* issue of the next day is *18:30 for the programme of meetings*, and *19:00 for the summaries*. The announcements to be published in the "Forthcoming other activities" section, should be sent before *18:00* at least two days in advance.

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Security Council

10:00 — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP) (S/2014/461)

Other matters

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

There will be an informal meeting of the plenary (closed) to hear a briefing by Mr. Daniel Sloper, Special Representative for the G20 of Australia, *today*, 24 July 2014, at 10:00, in the *Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB)*. A letter from the President of the General Assembly dated 17 July 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

An Informal informal meeting of the plenary (closed) on the organizational modalities for the Summit at the level of Heads of State and Government in September 2015 for the adoption of the post-2015 development agenda will be held *today*, 24 July 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

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General Assembly

Group of Governmental Experts on developments in the field of information and telecommunications in the context of international security
First session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5 (NLB)

United Nations Board of Auditors
Sixty-eighth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6 (NLB)

Security Council

Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 7 (NLB)

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 24 July 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories (Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Other meetings

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Thursday, 24 July 2014

Non-Aligned Movement: Coordinating Bureau (at the ambassadorial level) (monthly meeting)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 1 (CB)

Other activities

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Thursday, 24 July 2014

Event entitled Women in Power "Making a Global Difference" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Grenada and the African Women for Good Governance (AWGG))

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 1 (CB). [webcast]

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of Grenada (tel. 1 (212) 599-0301); or the African Women for Good Governance (tel. 1 (646) 245-3705).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Thursday, 24 July 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00 Press briefing by the Spokesperson

12:45 Press conference by Médecins Sans Frontières (MSF) on "The Central African Republic" [*Speakers:* Mr. Sylvain Groulx and Ms. Dounia Dekhili]

Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Monday, 28 July 2014, at 10:00, in the Security Council Chamber, on the United Nations and regional partnerships and its evolution in connection with the agenda item "United Nations peacekeeping operations".

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should send a letter addressed to the President of the Security Council requesting to participate in accordance with Rule 37 of the Council's Provisional Rules of Procedure (e-mail dpa-scsb3@un.org; or fax 1 (917) 367-0406). Please note that only scanned copies of signed letters will be accepted by e-mail. Delegations are kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone or e-mail, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly will convene at United Nations Headquarters on Tuesday, 16 September 2014, and the General Debate will open on Wednesday, 24 September 2014 (resolution A/RES/57/301 and decision 68/512).

In accordance with resolution A/RES/66/296, the High-level Plenary Meeting of the General Assembly to be known as the World Conference on Indigenous Peoples will be held on Monday, 22 and Tuesday, 23 September 2014.

General Assembly
Twenty-ninth special session

The twenty-ninth special session of the General Assembly on the follow-up to the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development will convene on Monday, 22 September 2014, in accordance with resolutions 65/234 and 67/250.

Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings of the special session are kindly requested to contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063). The list of speakers will be maintained in accordance with the level of representation and on a first-come, first-served basis. Statements in the plenary meetings should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in a national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly
Sixty-eighth session

For an updated tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary meetings, please *click here*. Please note that there is no predetermined programme of work for formal and informal meetings of the plenary for the resumed part of the session (1 January-15 September 2014). Meetings will be announced in the Journal when they are scheduled. For inscription on the list of speakers, please contact Ms. Antonina Poliakova (e-mail poliakova@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; room S-3082).

The agenda of the sixty-eighth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/68/251 (see A/68/252 for allocation of items). Annotations can be found in documents A/68/100 and A/68/100/Add.1. The revised programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its sixty-eighth session was issued on 24 October 2013 in document A/INF/68/3/Rev.1.

The preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly is contained in document A/69/50. The

provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 18 July 2014 in document A/69/150.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued on 16 June 2014 in document A/69/100.

A draft programme of the work of the plenary for the sixty-ninth session is contained in document A/68/852.

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations.

The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-eighth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/68/251.

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Seating protocol for the sixty-ninth session

On Wednesday, 11 June 2014, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Cuba to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly Hall at the sixty-ninth session. Consequently, the delegation of Cuba will sit at the first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the English alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

General Assembly

Open-ended Working Group on Ageing
Fifth working session

The fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing will be held from Wednesday, 30 July to Friday, 1 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda of the session is contained in document A/AC.278/2014/1.

General discussion and list of speakers

General discussion of agenda item 4 (Existing international framework on the human rights of older persons and identification of existing gaps at the international level) will be held on Wednesday, 30 July 2014, following the opening of the session.

The list of speakers is open. Delegations wishing to inscribe on the list should inform Ms. Catalina de Leon (e-mail leonc@un.org; room S-1284; fax 1 (212) 963-5935).

Delegations are reminded that as per past practice, statements made by individual Member States and observers should not exceed *five minutes*; statements made on behalf of a group of States should not exceed *ten minutes*.

Papersmart arrangement for the fifth working session

Delegations are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the fifth working session of the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing.

For further information on the Open-ended Working Group on Ageing, including on the participation of non-governmental organizations, please *click here*.

Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing

Fifth session

In accordance with General Assembly decision 67/559 of 21 June 2013, the fifth session of the Intergovernmental Committee of Experts on Sustainable Development Financing will be held from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 1 (CB). The provisional agenda is contained in document A/AC.282/2013/1. Only Members of the Committee of Experts, accompanied by up to two advisors, are invited to attend this closed session. Experts nominated by regional groups to serve as replacements for members may also attend as observers. For further information, please contact Mr. Daniel Platz (e-mail platz@un.org) and Mr. Wei Liu (e-mail liuw@un.org).

Multistakeholder dialogue

An interactive multistakeholder dialogue will be organized on Monday, 4 August 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, and will be open to all. For more information on this dialogue, please contact Ms. Susan Alzner, United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (e-mail alzner@un.org).

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Thirty-fifth session

Plenary meetings (closed) of the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf will be held from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, from Monday, 4, to Friday, 8 August 2014, in Conference Room 6 (NLB) and from Tuesday, 2, to Friday, 5 September 2014, in Conference Room 2 (CB).

Economic and Social Council

2014 session

The Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Oh Joon (Republic of Korea), will convene a plenary meeting of the resumed July coordination and management meeting of the Council on Friday, 25 July 2014, at 10:00 in the Economic and Social Council Chamber (CB). The Council will consider and take action on the draft resolutions entitled "Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the Decade 2011-2020" (E/2014/L.28)[1] and "Human settlements" (E/2014/L.29)[1].

[1]To be issued.

Forthcoming other activities

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Human Rights Orientation Programme for Diplomats (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Wednesday, 30 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB); and

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room B (CB).

[All permanent missions are invited. For further information, please *click here*, or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Lecture Series on Women, Peace and Security entitled "Women, Peace, Security – a critical component of the post-2015 development agenda" (organized by the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein, in cooperation with the Liechtenstein Institute on Self-Determination (LISD)/Princeton University and the Peace Women Project of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom)

Thursday, 31 July 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 3 (CB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Antonia Strachwitz, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail as@nyc.llv.li).]

Dialogue with Member States on the rule of law at the international level "Presentation of the Secretary-General's Guidance Note on Reparations for Conflict-Related Sexual Violence" (organized by the Rule of Law Unit, Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Friday, 1 August 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the Rule of Law Unit (Ms. Adriana de la Espriella (e-mail delaespriella@un.org, tel. 1 (212) 963-2962; or Ms. Lilibeth Benitez (e-mail benitez@un.org, tel. 1 (917) 367-2935)).]

Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy (organized by the UNITAR New York Office)

Monday, 4 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB);

Tuesday, 5 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room D (CB); and

Wednesday, 6 August 2014, from 10:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room C (CB);

[All delegates from Permanent Missions are invited to attend. For further information, please *click here,* or contact the UNITAR New York Office (e-mail nyo@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9196).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

General Assembly

Third International Conference on Small Island Developing States
Apia, Samoa (1-4 September 2014)

List of speakers

Inscription on the list of speakers for the plenary meetings (item 8 of the provisional agenda, "General debate") of the third International Conference on Small Island Developing States (Monday, 1 to Thursday, 4 September 2014, Apia, Samoa), pursuant to General Assembly Resolution 68/238, *is open.*

All delegations (all States Members of the United Nations or members of specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, and the European Union, in its capacity as observer) wishing to inscribe in the general debate, in accordance with General Assembly resolutions 67/207 and 68/238, are kindly requested to contact the Secretariat as of that date, *in writing*, by e-mail (Mrs. Mary Muturi (muturi@un.org)), or telefax (+1 (212) 963-3783) indicating the name and level of the speaker. The list of speakers for the plenary meetings will be established on a first-come first served basis with the customary protocol that ensures that Heads of States or Government speak first, followed by other heads of delegation. It is proposed that a time limit of *five minutes* be established for each statement.

In addition to representatives of States participating in the Conference and that of the European Union, it is proposed that the representatives of the following may, time permitting and without setting a precedent, make a statement in the plenary meetings: (a) intergovernmental organizations and other entities that have received a standing invitation from the General Assembly to participate in the capacity of observer in the sessions and work of all international conferences convened under its auspices (rule 60 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Conference); (b) Associate members of regional commissions (rule 61); (c) specialized agencies and related organizations (rule 62); (d) other intergovernmental organizations (rule 63); and (e) interested United Nations organs (rule 63). Representatives of intergovernmental organizations, entities, associated members of regional commissions, specialized agencies and related organizations and interested United Nations organs may also contact the Secretariat to inscribe in the list of speakers.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training (English) for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of:

July

Introduction to United Nations Documents

August

General Assembly Documentation

Introduction to Library Services

Introduction to United Nations Documents

Introduction to Subscription Databases and Resources

Overview of the Legal Library

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (http://www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Informational meetings with Member States to discuss issues relating to language services

In accordance with the established practice mandated by the General Assembly, the Department for General Assembly and Conference management holds informational meetings with Member States each year to consult with them on the improvement of the language services and to provide a channel for communication on terminology issues and the quality of services rendered. The 2014 language-specific informational meetings will be held in August, in Conference Room D (CB), according to the following schedule:

Wednesday, 20 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Arabic*

Wednesday, 20 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Chinese*

Thursday, 21 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *English*

Thursday, 21 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *French*

Friday, 22 August, from 10:00 to 13:00: *Russian*

Friday, 22 August, from 15:00 to 18:00: *Spanish*

Reduced capacity to accommodate meetings during Capital Master Plan (CMP) Migration of conference rooms

With the Capital Master Plan migration of the conference rooms, from the North Lawn Building to the General Assembly Building, Conference Rooms 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and the

General Assembly Hall in the North Lawn Building are scheduled to go off-line on Friday, 29 August 2014. The equivalent refurbished rooms in the General Assembly Building are expected to be in meeting ready condition on Monday, 15 September 2014. Therefore, the capacity of the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) to accommodate additional meetings during that period will be severely limited.

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

Paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement are available in room DC2-0880B.

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Regional Courses in International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular inte.est to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses *(click here)*.

The Regional Courses are dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their deep appreciation to Australia for providing the necessary voluntary contribution to fund the Regional Course in International Law for Africa that was held in Addis Ababa (Ethiopia) from Monday, 7 April to 2 May 2014. This generous contribution has made possible this session of the Regional Course.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are also seeking voluntary contributions for the Regional Courses in International Law for Africa, for Asia-Pacific and for Latin America and the Caribbean for 2015. The Codification Division would need to receive notification of such voluntary contributions *by Friday, 1 August 2014,* to proceed with plans for such courses in 2015.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division wish to express their appreciation to the three Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the Regional Courses in International Law (New Zealand), for Africa (China), and for Asia-Pacific (China and Saudi Arabia).

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by more than one million people in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the two Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

International Law Commission Trust Fund

Pursuant to paragraph 21 of General Assembly 62/66 resolution, the Secretary-General in 2008 established a Trust Fund to accept voluntary contributions so as eliminate the backlog of the *Yearbook of the International Law Commission*. Under paragraph 26 of its resolution 68/112, the General Assembly expressed its appreciation to Governments that have made voluntary contributions to the Trust Fund and encouraged further contributions to the Trust Fund.

In accordance with the terms of reference of the trust fund, voluntary contributions may be received from Governments, intergovernmental and non-governmental organizations, private institutions and individuals.

A circular letter has been issued to Governments through their Permanent missions.

Should additional information be required on the Trust Fund, please contact Ms. Marianne Sooksatan (e-mail sooksatan@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-5331).

Summary of official meetings

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

Security Council

7223rd meeting (closed) *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police- contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 23 July 2014, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 7223rd meeting in private with the troop- and police-contributing countries to the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus.

"The President invited Ms. Lisa Buttenheim, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

"The Security Council and the troop- and police-contributing countries heard a briefing by Ms. Buttenheim, via video-teleconference from Nicosia."

[archived video]

7224th meeting *The situation concerning Iraq*

Third report of the Secretary-General pursuant to paragraph 4 of Security Council resolution 2107 (2013) (S/2014/480)

Third report of the Secretary-General submitted pursuant to paragraph 6 of resolution 2110 (2013) (S/2014/485)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Iraq to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Nickolay Mladenov, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Iraq, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Mladenov, via video-teleconference from Baghdad.

The Council heard a statement by the representative of Iraq.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Wednesday, 23 July 2014

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-sixth session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3229th meeting *Protection of the environment in relation to armed conflicts* [item 10]

The Commission continued its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's preliminary report on the topic (A/CN.4/674).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

United Nations Convention against Illicit Traffic in Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances. Vienna, 20 December 1988

Notification under articles 6, 7 and 17 of the Convention: Cuba (23 July 2014)

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *July 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Libya
His Excellency Ibrahim Dabbashi

Asia-Pacific States:
United Arab Emirates
Her Excellency Lana Zaki Nusseibeh

Eastern European States:
Armenia
His Excellency Zohrab Mnatsakanyan

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Dominican Republic
His Excellency Francisco Antonio Cortorreal

Western European and other States:
San Marino
His Excellency Daniele Bodini

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Office of the President of the Council (e-mailed dpa-scsb3@un.org; room S-2472; fax 1 (917) 367-0406). For queries, please call to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Website of the presidency

The website of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at www.un.org/en/sc/presidency/.

Unscheduled meetings

Information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by clicking on "Programme of work" on the website of the Security Council at www.un.org/en/sc; or by calling to 1 (212) 963-5258.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever

possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Room Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room S-0220).

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Back issues of the *Journal*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp and www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp.

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Touch screen information kiosks

The Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) invites delegations and staff to use the two touch screen information kiosks located in the North Lawn Building to access the official meeting schedule, the *Journal of the United Nations*, the Delegates' Handbook, the Blue Book and the United Nations Staff Yellow Pages, as well as Headquarters and Conference Room Maps. These easy to use kiosks are located on the ground floor just after the First Avenue entrance security checkpoint and on the second floor next to the Café. DGACM welcomes feedback, questions or comments pertaining to the information kiosks, which can be addressed to helpdesk@un.org.

Websites

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Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
www.un.org/en/sc/ctc/

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General Assembly	**Documents**
	Sixty-eighth session
A/68/945–S/2014/482	Item 35 — The situation in the Middle East — Identical letters dated 24 June 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *12 pages*

A/68/947–S/2014/449	Items 14 and 118 — Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields — Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit — Fulfilling our collective responsibility: international assistance and the responsibility to protect — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *20 pages*

General Assembly	**Documents**
	Sixty-ninth session
A/69/119	Item 82 of the preliminary list — Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization — Implementation of the provisions of the Charter of the United Nations related to assistance to third States affected by the application of sanctions — Report of the Secretary-Genera [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*

Security Council	**Documents**
S/2014/10/Add.28	Summary statement by the Secretary-General of matters of which the Security Council is seized and of the stage reached in their consideration [A C E F R S] — *1 page*
A/68/947–S/2014/449	Fulfilling our collective responsibility: international assistance and the responsibility to protect — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *20 pages*
A/68/945–S/2014/482	Identical letters dated 24 June 2014 from the Permanent Representative of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *12 pages*
S/2014/501	Letter dated 11 July 2014 from the Permanent Representatives of Australia, France and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *4 pages*
S/2014/514	Letter dated 21 July 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

Communications to the Editor

Material for inclusion in the *Journal* should be addressed to the attention of Ms. Lilian Delgado (e-mail journal@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3888 and 963-0493; Room CB-0304 (Conference Building)).

The *deadline* to submit material for the *Journal* issue of the next day is *18:30 for the programme of meetings*, and *19:00 for the summaries*. The announcements to be published in the "Forthcoming other activities" section, should be sent before *18:00* at least two days in advance.

The office of the Journal Unit opens at 15:00.

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